

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Proposed Change in Schedule

To patrons of Mt. Carmel Public Utility Co.

Mt. Carmel Public Utility Co. hereby gives notice to the public that it has filed with the Illinois Commerce Commission a proposed change in its rates and charges for electric and gas service in Mt. Carmel and surrounding areas and that said change involves increases or decreases in its rates as follows:

Electric:

Residential	28.40%
Dusk to Dawn Lighting	28.58%
Residential Heating	28.57%
Water Heating	eliminated
Commercial	38.52%
Commercial Heating	38.56%
Industrial	38.64
Overall	32.64%

Gas:

Residential	17.17%
Commercial	19.40%
Industrial	0.00%
Overall	17.81%

The effect on average monthly residential bills for small, medium, and large customers is:

Electric:

General Residential		
Usage	Increase	% Increase
350 KWH	\$ 12.63	34.22%
500 KWH	\$ 15.99	31.67%
700 KWH	\$ 20.46	29.84%
1,000 KWH	\$ 27.18	28.39%
1,400 KWH	\$ 36.14	27.39%
2,000 KWH	\$ 49.57	26.61%

Residential Heating		
750 KWH	\$ 20.01	30.62%
850 KWH	\$ 22.07	30.10%
1,500 KWH	\$35.46	28.31%
1,700 KWH	\$ 39.58	28.03%
3,000 KWH	\$66.36	27.08%
3,400 KWH	\$ 74.60	26.93%

Gas:

Residential Non-heating		
20 therms	\$ 6.98	22.90%
40 therms	\$ 9.98	18.87%
80 therms	\$15.97	16.36%

Residential Heating		
40 therms	\$ 9.98	18.87%
80 therms	\$15.97	16.36%
160 therms	\$27.96	14.94%

A copy of the proposed change in schedule may be inspected by any interested party at the business office of this company during normal business hours.

Customers should be advised that the Commission may alter or amend the rates or conditions of service after hearings held pursuant to 83 Ill. Adm. Code 200 and may increase or decrease individual rates in amounts other than those requested by the Company.

All parties interested in this matter may obtain information with respect thereto either directly from this Company or by addressing the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62706.

Mt. Carmel Public Utility Co.
By Philip Barnhard IV, President